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20	FOR NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA				
21	DANIEL PEREZ, ET AL,	Case No.: C05-04665JF (RS)			
22	Plaintiffs,	STIPULATION TO CONTINUE INITIAL			
23	VS.	ADR DEADLINE & [ <del>PROPOSED</del> ] ORDER			
24	ARTEAGA'S STARLITE SUPERMARKET,				
25	ET AL, Defendants				
	1	C05-4665 JF (RS)			

STIPULATION TO CONTINUE ADR Deadline Perez, et al. v. Arteaga's Starlite Supermarket, et al.

Plaintiffs and defendants, through their respective counsel, hereby stipulate as follows:

- In this wage and hour class action, plaintiffs seek to represent all employees hired over last four years at the various stores doing business under the name of Arteaga's Starlite Supermarket.
- 2, On June 1, 2006, plaintiffs filed their First Amended Complaint, adding four new defendants, Engelberto Arteaga, Jose Arteaga, Amador Arteaga and Alfonso Quintana.
- 3. By July 25, 2006, defendants Engelberto Arteaga, Jose Arteaga, Amador Arteaga have filed their answers.
- 4. Defendant Alfonso Quintana, the only defendant who has not appeared, was served on July 11, 2006. Based on an earlier conversation between Alfonso Quintana's attorney Dominic Libonati and plaintiffs' counsel, on August 22, 2006, Mr. Libonati sent plaintiffs' counsel certain documents, requesting that his client be dismissed from this case. Plaintiffs' counsel agreed to grant an extension for defendant Quintana to file an answer while plaintiffs consider his dismissal request. Despite the extension to file an answer, Mr. Libonati agreed that his client Alfonso Quintana would participate in the mediation in this case.
- 5. However, during the course of preparing the Joint Case Management Statement and discussion of mediation, Maureen E. McFadden, the counsel for defendants Jose Arteaga and Amador Arteaga, first learned of Mr. Libonati's intended representation of defendant Quintana, and raised a potential conflict of interest issue. Mr. Libonati elected to withdraw from this case on September 5, 2006.
- 6. On July 7, 2006, the Court referred this case to the Court's ADR program for mediation, setting the deadline for completion of ADR on September 6, 2006. On July 27, 2006, Teresa V. Carey was appointed as mediator.
- 6. Given the withdrawal of defendant Quintana's counsel, it is not practical to complete the mediation by the current deadline. As such, parties respectfully request that the deadline to complete ADR be continued until November 30, 2006.

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14	[PROPOSED] ORDER				
15	Pursuant to party's stipulation, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that parties shall participate				
16	in the Court sponsored mediation to be completed by November 30, 2006.				
17	IT IS SO ORDERED.				
18	Dated: September 8, 2006	(	Jeremy Fogel		
19			United States District Judge		
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